

2021-217

DISCLOSURE DIVISION

- ☒ **WAIVER REQUEST**
☐ **ANSWER**
☐ **RECONSIDERATION REQUEST**
☐ **UNTIMELY**

DATE: 6/24/2021

DOCKET #: 2021-217

Ashley Wimberley, Director
Disclosure Division



FILER INFORMATION

Name: Danny Harper
Address: 8626 Shady Knoll Place, Baton Rouge, LA 70818
Office/Position: Baton Rouge North Economic Development District
Dates of Service: 2016-2019 (Final 2019)
Number of Disclosures and/or Amendments Filed with Agency: 4

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: Tier 2.1 Annual Personal Financial Disclosure covering calendar year 2017
Report ID: PFD21000478
Original Due Date: 5/15/2018
NOD Received: 11/10/2020 - Signed by: Unable to Determine
PFD/Answer Due Date based on NOD: 11/20/2020
PFD/Answer Filed: 1/27/2021

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1500
Days late from receipt of NOD: 68
Total days late from initial due date: 988
Late Fee Order Received: 1/23/2021
Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 2/12/2021
Waiver Request Received: 1/28/2021

COMMENTS:

Danny Harper is requesting a Waiver for the late filing of his 2017-2019 Annual PFD's. Mr. Harper stated now that he is now aware of the filing requirement, he will ensure this problem never occurs again. Mr. Harper resigned from the board in April 2019.

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OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Disclosure Statements:

- Other Outstanding Statements: No
- Other Outstanding Late Fees: Yes 2018 & 2019
- Prior Late Fees: No
- Reassessed Late Fees: No

Campaign Finance:

- Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No

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REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: Tier 2.1 Annual Personal Financial Disclosure covering calendar year 2018
Report ID: PFD21000477
Original Due Date: 5/15/2019
NOD Received: 11/10/2020 - Signed by: Unable to Determine
PFD/Answer Due Date based on NOD: 11/20/2020
PFD/Answer Filed: 1/27/2021

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1500
Days late from receipt of NOD: 68
Total days late from initial due date: 623
Late Fee Order Received: 1/23/2021
Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 2/12/2021
Waiver Request Received: 1/28/2021

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REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: Tier 2.1 Annual Personal Financial Disclosure covering calendar year 2019
Report ID: PFD21000476
Original Due Date: 6/8/2020
NOD Received: 11/10/2020 -Signed by: Unable to Determine
PFD/Answer Due Date based on NOD:11/20/2020
PFD/Answer Filed: 1/27/2021

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1500
Days late from receipt of NOD: 68
Total days late from initial due date: 233
Late Fee Order Received: 1/23/2021
Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 2/12/2021
Waiver Request Received: 1/28/2021

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- Prior Late Fees: No
- Reassessed Late Fees: No

Campaign Finance:

- Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No



Danny Harper Ins Agency Inc

Danny Harper, Agent

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Ashley Wimberley
Personal Financial Disclosure Director
P O Box 4368
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70821

Dear Ms. Wimberley,

Please find attached completed Personal Financial Disclosure Statements for years 2016 through 2019 as requested by you.

Additionally, I am requesting that the Louisiana Board of Ethics consider waiving any/all fees and/or penalties related to late submission of these required annual disclosure statements. Now that I am aware of this requirement, I will make sure this problem never occur again.

Please call me regarding any errors I made or additional information you will need to completely satisfy this requirement.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Harper", written over a horizontal line.

Danny Harper
Required Filer

Dec. 23, 2020

Dear: Louisiana Board of Ethics

As the Interim Executive Director of the Baton Rouge North Economic Development District, as well as a current Board Member, I want to thank you for assisting us to become compliant with the financial disclosure laws of our State. I write this letter requesting that I, and each of my fellow board members, be granted a waiver of fines related to tardiness in submitting our financial disclosure forms. All of us, both current and past board members, were not in compliance because we were informed by the previous Executive Director that our agency did not fall within the required financial disclosure requirements. For this reason, none of our board members submitted statements over the past four years. We intend to be in full compliance for future years.

Thanks in advance for your consideration,

Dr. James Gilmore, Jr.

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Danny Harper
8626 Shady Knoll Pl
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